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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

Yesterday, David Kraslow, Cox Newspapers' Washington representative, invited you to have lunch ~~August 5~~ with a group of newsmen that meet weekly in private with government officials for background conversations. Dick Helms, according to Kraslow, lunched with his group from time to time. The members are:

- David Broder, Washington Post
- Tom Littlewood, Chicago Sun Times
- Al Otten, Wall Street Journal
- J. F. Ter Horst, Detroit News
- Dick Dudman, St. Louis Post Dispatch
- Martin Nolan, Boston Globe
- Paul Duke, Public Broadcasting Service
- David Kraslow, Cox Newspapers

The group has been rather inactive the last year but has started holding weekly sessions again.

I called Kraslow this morning and told him that you accepted tentatively. He was very pleased and said he would plan on your being there unless travel out of town or pressure of business made it necessary to postpone. The lunch will be in the South Lounge of the Sheraton Carlton Hotel at 12:30.

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